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SIR:

In response to the official action of June 20, 2002 applicant elects the claims of Group I (claims 1 – 3) for prosecution in the present application. An early action on the merits is now respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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